

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| Application of: | BRÖGMANN, et al. | Confirmation No.: | 1883 |
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Communication mailed January 21, 2009, please enter the following remarks into the file of the above-identified application and consider the merits of such remarks.

It is believed that no fee is required for the filing of this response. In the event that any additional fee is required, please charge the required fee to Duane Morris LLP Deposit Account No. 04-1679.

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